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THE KENTUCKY OFFICES.

List of the Fat Government Positions to Be Distributed Under a Change of Party—What They Pay and How to Apply for Them.

(Louisville Commercial.)

The number of Government offices in Kentucky to be distributed to Democrats in the event of Mr. Cleveland's administration, is an authentic problem of great interest at the present time when so many faithful party workers are preparing applications for appointments. The only means of discussing all the appointive offices is by reference to the Congressional "Blue Book," the last issue of which was in 1877. Since then there have been a number of changes in Government service to correspond with the mutations of business. For instance, the number of Presidential postoffices, those paying more than \$1,000 annually, has been about doubled, while the number of gaugers, store-keepers and deputy collectors employed in the Internal Revenue Service has been reduced, owing to the falling off in the manufacture of whisky. Altogether the number of paying offices in Kentucky—that is those whose emoluments are above \$1,000 per year, will not run above 250, while the number of offices which pay from \$100 to \$1,000 per year will not be far from 750. The Commercial has been at some trouble to collect statistics on these points, which are given below.

The civil service law applies to only one Government establishment in Kentucky, and that is the Louisville Post office. None of the clerks, carriers or assistants can be removed without cause and no appointments can be made, the candidates having to undergo a competitive examination which excludes political qualification and which opens the Post-office to all people alike. The Internal Revenue staff of gaugers and store-keepers, and in fact all the other Government positions are open to the party, however, and the following list classifies them as nearly as possible, with the salaries and fees attached.

THE FAT PICKINGS.

United States Pension Agent at Louisville may make fees amounting to \$4,000 and is allowed 25 cents for each voucher paid. He is required to employ his own clerks, and the office is said to be worth about \$6,000 per year.

Surveyor of the Port at Louisville, salary \$350 and fees amounting to about \$4,000 a year. He has nine clerks, whose salaries are respectively: \$1,000, \$1,200, \$1,000, \$1,005, \$547, \$720, \$600, \$450 and \$300.

United States District Attorney, salary \$200 and fees, the office worth about \$5,000 per year.

Assistant United States District Attorney, the office now held with such pleasing grace by Col. George Dullea, salary \$2,000.

United States Marshal, salary \$200 and fees, worth about \$5,000 per year.

Supervising Inspector of Steamboats, salary \$3,000.

Inspector of Steamboat Hulls, salary \$2,000.

Inspector of Steamboat Boilers, salary \$2,000.

These are the principal offices held in the Custom house in Louisville. Of course there can be no monkeying with the United States District Judgeship, which Judge Barr holds for life, and none with the clerkship, which is bestowed by Judge Barr upon whom he pleases, and Sam Carr pleases him at present.

INTERNAL RETRIBUTIVE SOFT SNAPS.

Collector Louisville district, salary \$4,500, and ten deputy collectors, salaries at \$1,800, \$2,000, \$1,800, \$1,400, \$1,400, \$950, \$900, \$1,150, \$1,150. Six of these are stationed at Louisville, one each at New Castle, New Liberty, Cox Creek and Lebanon.

Collector Owensboro district, salary \$4,500 and seven deputy collectors, as follows: Owensboro salary \$1,400; Paducah, \$650; Mayfield, \$1,400; Henderson, \$1,400; Hartford, \$1,300; Bowling Green, \$1,150; Darksburg, \$1,150.

Collector Covington district salary \$4,500, and nine deputies, as follows: Four at Covington, two at \$1,900 each, one at \$1,700, one at \$1,500; Mayville two, at \$1,500 each; Cynthia, \$1,280; Mt. Sterling, \$1,000; West Liberty, \$1,000.

Collector Lexington district, salary \$4,500 and five deputies, two at Lexington at \$1,400, and one each at Harrodsburg, Stanford and Danville, \$100.

Collector Lancaster district, salary \$3,125, and five deputies, three at Lancaster, two at \$1,500 and one at \$900; Richmond, \$1,200; Somerset, \$300.

Besides these are the following minor offices in the revenue service in the State:

Seventy-five gaugers, at fees amounting to \$4 per day.

One hundred and sixty-three store-keepers receiving from \$2 to \$4 per day.

One hundred and forty-nine store-keepers and gaugers, receiving about \$4 per day.

THE YUM YUM POSTOFFICES.

Following are the Presidential postoffices in the State and the salaries attached:

ries attached:

Ashland.....	\$1,500	Lexington.....	\$2,700
Bowling Green.....	1,200	Louisville.....	2,700
Cattlettsburg.....	1,400	Madisonville.....	1,000
Covington.....	2,500	Mayfield.....	1,400
Cynthiana.....	1,500	Mayville.....	2,500
Danville.....	1,800	Mt. Sterling.....	1,700
Elizabethtown.....	1,400	Newport.....	2,600
Frankfort.....	1,800	Nicholsville.....	1,500
Franklin.....	1,500	Owensboro.....	2,100
Georgetown.....	1,600	Paducah.....	2,200
Glasgow.....	1,400	Paris.....	1,500
Harrodsburg.....	1,400	Richmond.....	1,500
Henderson.....	1,700	Russellville.....	1,500
Hickman.....	1,100	Shelbyville.....	1,500
Hopkinsville.....	1,500	Stanford.....	1,300
Lancaster.....	1,100	Versailles.....	1,400
Lebanon.....	1,500	Winchester.....	1,600

There are thirty-eight clerkships in the State postoffices outside of Louisville, paying from \$100 to \$540. The best is at Paducah, paying \$1,000.

MICELLEANEOUS OFFICES.

Commissioner of Internal Revenue, now a Kentucky office paying \$6,000.

Ninety-one United States Commissioners in the State paying small fees, and but few worth the having, except for cigars, money and drinks.

Superintendent National Cemetery at Camp Nelson, salary \$900.

Those desiring to be appointed to any of the offices in this list must send their applications as follows:

For the Department heads at Louisville, address Hon. Henry Watterson, Louisville.

For Revenue service, address Mr. J. Seldon Miller, Louisville, Ky.

For Postoffice appointments, address Mr. John G. Roach, Chairman Democratic Executive Committee, Louisville, Ky.

Mr. Cleveland has authorized these gentlemen to receive all applications, file them alphabetically with the proper endorsements and have them at Washington ten days after his inauguration in March next.

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POLITICAL POINTS.

"The cackling of geese saved Rome. A few glasses of wine and brandy lost the American colonies to Great Britain. A lamp upset by a cow nearly destroyed the city of Chicago. A hoop skirt in one of the battles of the rebellion saved the Federal Army from a disastrous defeat. Three words uttered by a fool elected Grover Cleveland President of the United States."—New York Sun.

Within less than a year from this date the false pretenders to purity, the fantastical politicians of prohibition, the fantastical performers of the civil service spectacular entertainment styled reform, and the devotees of theoretical economies, will be sick and ashamed.

And after four years the Republicans, reinforced by the experience and the growth of the country, will return to the fullness of power, to stay—for one Democratic President will be a warning to his generation.—Commercial Gazette.

Wherewith Shall We Be Excited?

The President is elected and he is a Democrat. The kazoo and the tin horn have strutted their brief and noisy hour upon the stage, and been laid away in camphor and cedar for the next campaign. The walking-match of the fair damsels closes out at 12 o'clock to-night.

The theaters, which we have always with us, are expected as so much a matter of course that they are not to be counted in the list of excitements.

Mr. Sherley's latest book has lost the charm of novelty; the dust of neglect covers its aesthetic outside, while the gloom of eternal darkness settles upon its "Inner Sisterhood."

The skating rink is full of variety and vexation of spirit to the uninitiated, and cannot be viewed as a benefaction by the public at large.

Old and young are so unlike that while gathering frosted leaves brings the richest delight to the latter class it promises only neuralgia and a rich rheumatic experience to the former.

Maud S. has cut her record down to a limit smaller than Ben. Butler's vote in Kentucky, and like Nebuchadnezzar, has gone to grass until the springtime comes again, gentle Annie.

Even drummers, gentle missionaries of trade, dispensers of the richest and rarest goods, disseminators of sweetness and light, are about to leave us, the very thought of which casts a gloom over the entire community.

It is too cold to go a' fishing; too warm to shoot rabbits; the partridges have all been murdered by the pot-hunters, and nobody has any use for coons since the late election.

There doesn't seem to be anything left for us but to offer a reward for the invention of a new excitement, which be at once utilized. Puffs and specifications therefore will be received at this office until the date when the official announcement of the vote of New York is made. Republicans barred.—Louisville Times.

That Sums it Up.

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The Curious Nine.

The figure 9 seems in this the year 1884 to be the lucky Presidential number. Cleveland has 9 letters and Hendricks has 9. Grover and Thomas have each 6, which are only 9's turned upside down. Now for the 9's: 9 times 9 are 81 and 8 and 1 are 9. Take Grover with 6 letters and Thomas with 6 letters, and 6 times 6 are 36, and 3 and 6 are 9. Grover has 6 letters and Cleveland 9, and 6 times 9 are 54, and 5 and 4 are 9. Thomas has 6 letters and Hendricks has 9, and 6 times 9 are 54, and 5 and 4 are 9. Grover has 6 letters and Cleveland 9, and 9 times 6 are 54; Thomas has 6 letters and Hendricks 9, and 6 times 9 are 54, and 54 and 54 are 108 and 1 and 08 are 9. Cleveland 9 multiplied by Hendricks 9 make 81, and 8 and 1 are 9, and vice versa makes 81, and 8 and 1 are 9, and 81 added make 162 and again 9 comes from 1 and 6 and 2 added together. Thomas and Grover each have 6 letters and 6 times 6 are 36; Cleveland and Hendricks each have 9, and 9 times 9 are 81, and either Grover Cleveland or Thomas Hendricks has 6 and 9, and 6 times 9 are 54; now add 36, 81 and 54 and you have 171, and again you have 9, from 1 and 7 and 1. Now multiply Thomas and Grover, 6 each, together and you have 36, and multiply Cleveland and Hendricks, 9 and 9 together and you have 81, and the two, 36 and 81, added give you 117 which again shows 1 and 1 and 7 are 9. Take Cleveland and Hendricks 9 letters each and add together and you have 18, and then multiply the same numbers and the sum 18 81; out of the first you have 1 and 8 are 9 and the 8 and 1 are 9, and 18 added to 81 makes 99, or 2 9's. New York has 31 votes and again 3 and 6 are 9, or multiply and you have 3 times 6 are 18 or 1 and 8 are 9, or multiply the 36 by 3 and you have 108 and 1 and 08 are 9, or multiply the 36 by 6 and you get 216, or again 2 and 1 and 6 are 9. Now multiply, New York, 36, by Thomas or Grover, 6, and you get 216 or 2 and 1 and 6 are 9, or multiply, New York, 36 by 9 and you get 324 or 3 and 2 and 4 make 9. Now add 9, 18, 36, 36, 54, 72, 81, 117, 162, 108, 171, 216, 99 and 324 and you get 1512, or 1 and 5 and 1 and 2 are 9.

Cleveland's electoral vote, 219, shows the 9 again, and his excess of majority is 18, or two more 9's, besides 1 and 8 are 9.

The Cleveland and Hendricks 9 evidently have Blaine and Logan in the 9 hole, and the Capital turns it over to the curious for further development.—Capit.

Such Is Life.

(BY A LITTLE GIRL FOURTEEN YEARS OLD.)

Life with many is a long, and dreary wild, with scarcely a ray of light to guide their wandering feet. When one is on the threshold of man or womanhood, life seems as pleasant as a summer's day, but then as they wander further on, and let their thoughts flit through the past, how few really are the pleasures they have had? But life in most cases is what we make it. We should not, when just beginning the journey of life, think it a pathway strewn with flowers, for there are many sorrows like thorns hidden from the human eye, only to be brought to light by experience, and perhaps how sorrowful that experience may be gained.

There is but one Being alone that watches when no other creature is near, and when all is one dreary wild, with mountains of trouble and sorrow rising around us, and no star of hope is shining brightly in the distance for us.

Childhood is the happiest period of life; for then all things are bright and joyous.

Flowers bloom for all, and there is scarcely a cloud to shade for one moment its pleasures.

When boyhood is reached sorrow like thorns are hidden by rose leaves.

He thinks of his friends, and of the many happy days they have spent under childhood's happy skies.

Friends of his boyhood are the truest, and they cling together like ivy on an old church tower.

Then manhood comes, and with it all the stern realities of life, and there is scarcely a rest on the hurried voyage.

Nothing of the past is left but memory, whose dim shadows visit one like a dream, causing us to live again those happy days.

We can hear the joyous laughter ringing, but the echo is gone, forever gone! gone forever!

Then old age comes, and gray hairs tell the tale of trouble on manhood's weary voyage; a head over which the snows of many winters have fallen, leaving nothing but joy and sorrow equally commingled, and his only hope rests in heaven.

Death comes and lays his icy fingers on his victim, hurrying him on to eternity, and never for one moment does he relax his grasp.

Death gives no time for parting with friends of childhood, manhood or old age.

The poor old form is laid to rest, perhaps, in some lowly church-yard, where flowers will be planted by some loving hand, or, perhaps, it will be laid in a potter's field, with nothing but a head-piece of wood to mark the unkempt grave.

Friends will soon forget you, and

feel go on as smoothly as if death would never come again.

The places you loved to visit will be filled by heartless beings who have no thought of the poor old form now turning to dust.

Your place in your friends' hearts will be filled by some one else.

In most cases, the ties of friendship are not sufficiently strong to bear long separation; and such is life.

"PANSY."

The Next Lady of the White House.

(Albany Special to the Philadelphia Times.)

Here it is regarded as settled that Gov. Cleveland is the next President, and already the gossips are busy with conjectures as to who will be the lady of the White House. There is a well defined belief among his friends that there is a young lady in Western New York who will soon be led to the altar by the President-elect. Others who have known him long and well say that he will never marry, and that this talk simply comes of the fact that he has shown this young woman some slight attention since he was elected Governor. Early in life his hopes and ambitions for a wife were crushed by the hand of death, and his affection for the lost one has kept him treading the wine-press of life alone. If the reports that he is to marry are not true, then his own immediate family will furnish a lady to do the social honors of his administration.

It is generally believed by those who know him best that there will be less festivities during his term of office than there have been for many years past. He has been a hard-working Governor and will probably continue his industrious habits as President, Bachelor as he is, the White House will, however, have a creditable mistress. There are four ladies in his immediate family, either of whom can well do the honors of the household. His eldest sister in this country, Mrs. W. E. Hoyt, of Fayetteville, would fill any position with credit. She is a middle-aged lady, of pleasing address, who has spent a good deal of time at the Executive Mansion here since her brother has been Governor. She has made many friends here in the capita of the State and will doubtless do the same in Washington, where she will probably go the 4th of next March.

Miss R. E. Cleveland is the maiden sister. She still resides in the little home cottage at Holland Patent, just above Utica. A good public speaker, a good conversationalist and generally a plain woman of intellectual force, she would do her share in entertaining her brother's guests at the national capital. Mr. Cleveland has a sister who for twenty years has been a missionary at Ceylon. She has two charming young lady daughters, Mary and Carrie Hastings, whom the Governor has been for years educating in this country. He has given them every advantage and they have improved them. They will no doubt be a part of their uncle's family circle at Washington, as they have been at times here.

With Mrs. Hoyt, or any one of the three other ladies spoken of, the social end of the first Democratic administration for a quarter of a century will be well sustained, even should the President-elect continue a bachelor.

One More Honest Man.

(London Star Journal.)

When the conductor had passed through the front part of the smoker to the Denver train, as it pulled out of Crete yesterday afternoon, he was called back by a tired-looking man with a faded terra cotta mustache.

"Do you see any check in my hat-band?" he asked.

The conductor looked, and confessed he did not.

Do you remember collecting any fee from me?"

"No, I guess I skipped you; gimme your ticket."

"Now, I suppose," said the tired man, "that most men would have let you go when you didn't notice 'em?"

"Yes; can't you find your ticket?"

"But I don't believe in letting a man suffer for a mistake, even if it is his own."

"Want to pay in cash? How far are you going?" asked the conductor, filling out a drawback.

"There are a great many people," continued the terra cotta mustache, "who think that it is all right to beat a railroad corporation, but I'm not one of them. My conscience wouldn't have let me rest a minute if I had let you go by."

"Fare to Lincoln, fifty cents," said the conductor, with signs of impatience.

"No, I couldn't go to sleep at night if I had something that belonged to somebody else. I couldn't do it."

He dropped a tear, and reaching down into his vest pocket, drew forth a worn and soiled annual pass. He was an editor, but the conductor was a new man and had not seen him before. He made some remarks that left a blue streak behind them as they ran along over the heads of the passengers, and returning the document, passed on through the car.

The Court of Appeals has decided that Neal, the Ashland murderer, must hang.

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Gov. Cleveland's sister, Mrs. Hoyt, will do the honors of the White House.

The Louisville Times facetiously remarks that Maud S. beat her record, but Blaine's record beat him.

The Georgia Legislature has re-elected the Hon. Jos. E. Brown to the United States Senate, with only two votes against him.

The President-elect has engaged a suite of rooms at the Arlington Hotel, Washington City, from the 25th of February until after the inauguration.

The President has appointed Otis P. G. Clarke, of Rhode Island, to be Commissioner of Pensions, vice Dudley resigned. Calvin B. Walker, of Indiana, has been promoted from Second to First Deputy Commissioner.

Among a party of over one hundred Mormon converts, who left Chattanooga, Tenn., last week for Utah, were three negroes—two men and one woman. These are the first converts to Mormonism from that race.

When Gov. Cleveland resigns his office of Governor of New York, which he will do as soon as the Legislature meets in January, Lieut. Gov. D. B. Hill will succeed him and will fill the office until Dec. 3d, 1885. The latter was mayor of Elmira at the time he was nominated on the ticket with Mr. Cleveland, who was mayor of Buffalo.

President-elect Cleveland has directed his clerks to destroy, without showing to him, all letters making application for office. It is right about it. It is true our fellows are awfully hungry, but they might wait until after the Republicans are decently interred before the scramble for the offices begins.

Our prediction is that four years hence the Republicans will adopt a platform containing a prohibition plank and that the "Prohibitionists" will go over body and breeches to the Republicans. This would cause many people to change their politics and would be a coalition that Democrats would have cause to fear. It will be the only step the Republican party can take that will give them a fighting chance to win in 1888.

A swell wedding in New York city Wednesday was probably the most gorgeously grand affair that ever took place in the fashionable circles of that city. The contracting parties were Marshall Orme Wilson and Miss Caroline Schermerhorn Astor, daughter of Wm. Astor, the millionaire. There were eight bridesmaids and one thousand invited guests. The groom's present was a \$75,000 diamond necklace and the bride's presents aggregated the princely sum of \$250,000.

Simon Dessau, the New York diamond importer, on the day after election commenced cutting a very large diamond, weighing 75 carats, which will weigh forty to fifty carats when finished. It is without a flaw and will be worth \$40,000 to \$50,000 when cut. Mr. Dessau has named it the "Cleveland Gem," and as such it promises to become historical, being the largest and most perfect gem ever cut on the American Continent.

The stone was shown when partly finished to Gov. Cleveland, who was much pleased with the compliment. It will be sent to the New Orleans Exposition. This New World's Kohinoor was found at the Cape of Good Hope about eight years ago, and has been owned by English brokers until two months ago, when Mr. Dessau bought it. His intention was to cut it at once, but the enthusiasm of his father, D. S. Dessau, prevented it. The old gentleman is an ardent supporter of Gov. Cleveland and he insisted it should not be cut until after the election. "If Cleveland is elected it shall be called the Cleveland Gem," he said, and it was so agreed.

When we have refreshed their memories, many of the readers of the Inquirer will doubtless remember that some eight or nine years ago, a man leading a white heifer made his appearance in Owensboro, and went up and down the streets preaching, praying and prophesying. He will be remembered as a fluent speaker and a man who could quote the Scriptures with the readiness of a thorough Bible scholar. But he was a street talker and a stranger, and no perceptible spiritual benefits seemed to accrue to the town from his coming. In the vernacular of the present time he was looked upon as a "crank" and his utterances were received by his auditors more in derision than otherwise. And not only did he march, but he prophesied, also; and among his prophecies he said that in 1883 a great flood would sweep the Ohio valley; that in 1884 a Democrat would be elected to the Presidency of the United States, and for 1885 he predicted the prevalence in this country of a plague or pestilence that would number its victims by the thousands. The election of Cleveland to the Presidency recalls to the mind of the Inquirer the visit of the stranger and his prophecies, and the scribe is quite sure that many who read this item will remember also the presence among us of the modern prophet, and his snowy bovine of the feminine gender.—Owensboro Inquirer.

## A Democratic Senate in 1887.

The prospects for the Democrats to secure control of the Senate in 1887 are very flattering. If they succeed in this the Republicans will then be in a minority in both Houses of Congress and there will be nothing in the way of an honest and economical administration of the government. The Senate now stands 39 Republicans, 35 Democrats and Mahone and Riddleberger, the Virginia Readjusters. These worthies have been acting with the Republicans, giving them 41 votes to 35 on all party questions. The Legislatures just selected will elect Senators in a number of States, but there will be political changes in only two. The Democrats lose one in California and gain one in Illinois, making the next Senate stand as the present one. In order to make the next Senate Democratic there must be a change of four votes. It is already announced that Riddleberger, who is really a Democrat, will cut loose from Mahone in the future and act with the Democrats. This, if true, will give the Democrats 36 votes. Mahone's term will expire in 1887 and he will certainly be succeeded by a Democrat. The Fusionists now have control of the Michigan Legislature and will probably be even stronger two years hence, which will insure the election of a Democrat or a Greenbacker who will vote with the Democrats from that State. It is reasonably certain that these changes will be made which will make the Senate a tie, each party having 38. In this event Vice-President Hendricks will cast the deciding vote whenever there is a lock. But there is a probability of still other gains. Indiana, Ohio, and Wisconsin each have a Republican Senator whose term will expire in 1887. In Indiana there is hardly a doubt that the next Legislature will be Democratic. The one just elected is overwhelmingly Democratic, and the entire State ticket was elected by over 7,000 majority. It is therefore next to certain that Harrison will be superseded by a Democrat two years hence. In Ohio the Democrats now have control of the Legislature, and will have a good fighting chance to beat Sherman in two years. The other doubtful State is Wisconsin. The Democrats made a strong fight this year, and the Republicans only won by the skin of their teeth. The probabilities are that the State will be Democratic by 1887, and that a Democrat will succeed Sawyer in the Senate. But conceding the last two states to the Republicans the Democrats will certainly have 38 Senators in 1887, without Riddleberger, which will give them control of the Senate. There is not even a remote possibility that the Republicans will make any gains in States now represented by Democrats, so taken altogether the outlook for the Democrats to get entire control of the government is exceedingly bright. The House has been reliable Democratic for ten years and will remain so. A Democratic administration will be inaugurated Mar. 4, and the country will once more be in safe hands.

Ex-Candidate Blaine was serenaded at his home in Augusta, Me., last Tuesday evening and took occasion to respond in a two-column speech in which he seized the bloody shirt and waved it aloft and poured out his vials of invective upon the people of the South. He expressed intense gratification that Maine and Pennsylvania had given him 20,000 and 80,000 majority, respectively and was very proud of the support he received in New England and the West. He returned thanks for the support given him in New York and the other close States and stated that a change of a little over 5,000 votes would have made the North as solid as the South. He then turned his attention to the "Rebel Confederacy" and fairly howled. The South furnished three-fourths of the votes that elected Cleveland and therefore the country had gone to the eternal bow-wows. It was a bitter partisan speech, the sole object of which was to array one section against another. It was the death struggle of this man Blaine, who has been beaten and degraded by the best elements of his own party. He has proved himself to be a small and narrow-minded charlatan, too small to rise above defeat and accept the verdict of the people in a manly way.

It has been found that the Democratic candidate in the Senatorial district in Illinois that has been so long in doubt was elected, and the Democrats therefore have a majority of one in the Legislature. This will insure the election of a Democrat to succeed Carter Harrison, Lyman Trumbull, and Gov. Palmer will be the leading candidates.

President Arthur is now writing his last annual message, which he will hurl at the American people, and Congress in particular, next Monday week.

"They say" President Arthur and President-elect Cleveland will both marry between now and March but the rumors are not known to have facts for a foundation.

The Maysville Bulletin says W. H. Wadsworth, Rep., will never take his seat in Congress from the 9th District, if a contest is made by his opponent.

Hon. Jos. E. McDonold announces that he will not be a candidate for Senator against Voorhees. It is generally believed that a Cabinet position is looking for our esteemed "Old Saddlebags."

## KENTUCKY KNOWLEDGE.

Lee Price, of Shelbyville, was killed by a runaway horse.

Isaac Wedinger was killed at St. Matthew's Station, by the cars.

Henderson had a grand ratification of the Democratic victory last night.

Nelson Cummins shot and killed a man named Minton, at Lynn Camp.

John W. McGee has decided to oppose Booker Reed as a candidate for Mayor of Louisville.

Mr. Frank Monroe has sold his half-interest in the Russellville Herald-Enterprise to Mr. Jos. Morton.

The trial of Andy Wepler, the murderer of Henry Clay, was called at Louisville last week and postponed.

Burglars are operating in the vicinity of Russellville. They got \$95 worth of valuables from one house last week.

Hawesville expects to rear up on her hind legs and howl next Wednesday night, to commemorate the election of Cleveland.

Jo. Lee has been nominated by a Democratic primary for Mayor of Owensboro and Josh. T. Griffith was also nominated for City Marshal.

Barn-burnings are on the increase in Jessamine county. Last Sunday night another large grain and tobacco barn and contents, belonging to L. T. Hemphill, was destroyed by fire. Loss, \$1,500; insurance \$600. It is believed to be the work of incendiaries, and the farmers generally in Jessamine are greatly alarmed.—Winchester Sun.

Robt. Bryce McPhun was arrested in Louisville last week and will be taken to Calcutta, India, to answer to the charge of committing forgery to the extent of \$100,000 on the Halsa Tea Co. He left there about eighteen months ago and has been in Louisville for about a year. A Calcutta officer came to identify him, after he had been spotted by detective Bligh. He is a Scotchman and is 34 years old.

During the ratification at Hartford Friday night, a negro began cursing the white Democrats and supplemented his curses by throwing a stone into the procession. He happened to select that part of the procession in which was stationed a body of men from Buford and Pleasant Ridge. The whites made a rush for the negro, and in the row the negro was shot and afterwards pretty badly beaten up.—Owensboro Inquirer.

A wild steer being driven through Fourth street, last Thursday, made a dash at a young lady on the sidewalk thrust one of his horns under the belt of her dress and was about to toss her in the air, when he was driven off by the man who had him in charge. The young lady escaped without injury, her dress being only slightly rent. She did not faint, or scream, but walked on homeward with perfect composure. Brave girl.—Owensboro Messenger.

Of the fraudulent campaign circular the Henderson Journal says: "The Messenger is probably mistaken in supposing that the circular complained of originated in Henderson." Will the Journal, or anyone else, state positively that the circular was not printed in the old Sentinel office, now lying idle in Henderson? If it was not, there is type in that office with which it could be duplicated almost perfectly. We know whereof we speak.—Owensboro Messenger.

Sixty-seven of the 118 counties in Kentucky have been officially heard from and 'Cleveland's majority is 37,291. The remaining counties gave Hancock 16,325 majority which would indicate a majority in the State for Cleveland of over 50,000, taking as a basis the votes cast for the electors for the State at large. It may be added, however, that Gentry the colored elector at large was badly scratched by white Republicans, and that the negroes in turn scratched Hubbard, so that the head of the Republican ticket runs several thousand votes behind the rest of it.

Fifteen cars loaded with Kentucky exhibits left this city yesterday for the New Orleans Exposition, and Mr. Proctor, the State Geologist, who has the matter directly in charge, states that a number of others will speedily follow them. Kentucky, by this exhibition of her material wealth, will gain a wide introduction worth many thousands of dollars beyond the paltry appropriation about which so much noise has been made in certain sections of the State. Mr. Proctor will leave for New Orleans at an early day to arrange the proper exhibition of the display.—Louisville Times.

Blaine closed his speech at Augusta the other night with the following reference to his successful opponent: "Purposely, I may say instinctively, I have discussed the issues and consequences of that conquest without the remotest reference to the gentleman who is elevated to the Presidency. Towards him personally I have no cause for the slightest ill will, and it is with cordiality that I express the wish that his official career may prove gratifying to himself and beneficial to the country, and that his administration may overcome the embarrassment which the peculiar source of its power imposes upon it from the hour of its birth."

Daniel Manning, Gov. Cleveland's manager, was married Wednesday to Miss Mary L. Fryer, of Albany. Gov. Cleveland was present.

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Lard—Country, 11 to 12c; snowflake, 14c.

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Coffee—Choice, 15 to 16c; prime, 12c to 15c.

Sugar—Standard granulated, 7c to 8c; powdered, 11c to 12c; coffee, A. 9 to 9c; rural C, 7c to 8c; extra C, 7c to 8c; New Orleans, 8c.

Molasses—45 to 75c.

Syrup—45 to 50c; eggs, 1.75 to 2.00.

Salt—7-bushel barrels, \$2.15; 4-bushel, \$1.65.

Soap—7c; 12c; White Mountain, 7c; Blue Mountain, 8c; 12c; 15c.

Oysters—Per dozen, 1-b can, full weight, \$1.20; 3-b, full weight, \$2.25; 1-b, light weight, \$1.00; 3-b, light weight, \$1.50.

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SOCIALITIES.

Father time is the correct standard for this latitude, at M. D. Kelly's.  
Miss Pattie White is very ill, with but slight hopes of recovery.  
Mr. J. T. Harper, of Trigg county, was in the city yesterday.  
Miss Annie Richardson, of Pembroke, is visiting Miss Lillie Woolbridge.  
Mr. R. A. Baker has gone to Hanson, Hopkins county, to buy tobacco this season.  
Ma. Matt McKinney and Mr. J. E. Edwards, of Cadiz, were in the city Tuesday.  
Mrs. Jas. E. Jesup returned Monday from a visit to her daughter Mrs. T. P. Major, of Clarksville.  
Miss Frankie Simmons of this city, returned home Sunday after a two weeks' visit to the Casky neighborhood.  
Sergeant Jas. F. Garity has accepted a position as salesman with the Nashville street grocers, Messrs. Chas. McKee & Co.

HYMEN TO THE FRONT.

A Matrimonial Boom.

COLEMAN-HIVES.

The little town of Bennetts town has been in a fever of excitement for several days over the approaching nuptials of one of South Christian's prettiest and most accomplished belles, to a substantial and highly esteemed young gentleman of Montgomery county, Tennessee. The happy event transpired Wednesday, Nov. 19, in the Presbyterian church, Rev. H. P. Perry being the officiating clergyman. As the bridal pair, Mr. Eugene Coleman and Miss Anna Hives, entered the church, Miss Belle Cooper, of Bennetts town, played the wedding march. They were preceded by the following couples of attendants: Mr. Almon Coleman with Miss Jodie R. Hives; Dr. Collins with Miss Mary Sherrell; Mr. A. J. Gregory with Miss Anna Knight; Mr. Willoughby Young with Miss Norman Coleman.

After the ceremony the wedding party departed for the home of Mrs. Coleman, near Clarksville, where they were given a royal reception. Mr. Coleman is to be congratulated upon winning so charming a bride. She is a daughter of Mr. Wm. Hives, and is a young lady of many endearing traits of character. May the young couple ever enjoy the fullest fruition of their fondest hopes in our earnest wish.

GREENWOOD-MAJOR.

On Thursday, Nov. 20, Mr. John M. Greenwood led to the hymeneal altar Miss Dinnie Major, of Beverly, Ky. Mr. Greenwood is a popular and industrious young farmer of south Christian, and his bride is a pretty and attractive representative of one of Christian county's best families. May their union be a union of hearts as well as hands, and may their pathway through life be strewn with flowers.

LANDER-RICHARDSON.

Mr. Wm. N. Lander and Miss Fannie B. Richardson were married on Wednesday, Nov. 19, at the residence of the bride's brother-in-law, Mr. E. A. Stowe, in the western part of the county. The ceremony was pronounced by Rev. A. W. Meacham. The groom is a worthy and substantial young farmer, of the Bellevue neighborhood, and his amiable and accomplished bride is a grand-daughter of the venerable Mr. Peter Baker, of Newstead, Ky. Mr. Lander has erected a handsome new residence on his farm on the Cerulean Springs road, and the young couple will go to house-keeping in their cosy little home at once. We tender our warmest congratulations, and best wishes for a perennial season of happiness and prosperity.

DENNIS-KENDRICK.

Mr. M. D. Dennis, of Ringgold, Tenn., a young gentleman well-known in this city, was married Wednesday, the 19th inst., to Miss Carrie Kendrick, an accomplished young lady of Montgomery county, Tenn.

HARRIS-RAGSDALE.

Miss Etta Ragdsdale, of south Christian, was married Wednesday of this week to Mr. Mercer Harris. The marriage took place in Bethel church, just over the State line. They are both well-known in the social circles of the Oak Grove neighborhood.

THOMPSON-RANDLE.

Mr. K. R. Thompson, of this city, and Miss Mary Randle, of Fulton, were married at 8:30 o'clock Wednesday evening, at the residence of Mr. Lindsay, in this city. The ceremony was pronounced by Rev. J. N. Presbidge, of the Baptist church, in the presence of a number of invited friends. The bridal couple left yesterday for a visit to Fulton. The young couple have our best wishes for a happy future.

If the red headed woman who came into this office the other day with fire in her eye, will apply at the Duckworth Club rooms she can get a position as a torch in the grand Democratic procession.—Merchant Traveler.

HERE AND THERE.

Howe's time is the city standard. Cansler's semi-monthly stock sale next Saturday Nov. 22.

Nick Gibson, the slayer of Frank Douglass, col., Oct. 3, has given bond for \$1,000 and is out of jail.

Many cisterns are dry and a rain is badly needed. In the country the wheat crop is also suffering for rain.

The Hopkinsville Cornet Band left for Elkton yesterday to officiate at a Democratic jollification arranged to come off last night.

There is a vacancy in the office of constable in the Union School House District, caused by the resignation of Mr. Gordon Hanbery.

The Lizzie May Ulmer troupe failed to fill their engagement last night. The next attraction at the Opera House will be Lillian Olcott, November 29th.

Mr. Jacob Duerrwaechter (pronounced Dirwagter) arrived last week from Omaha, Neb., with the intention of settling in this section with his relatives.

A protracted meeting is in progress at McKenzie Kirk, the Presbyterian church at Bennetts town. Revs. Evans and Hopper are assisting the pastor, Rev. J. C. Tate.

Attention is called to the advertisement in the issue of Mr. Jno. W. Payne, assignee for E. A. Pike. He will sell at public auction to-morrow, at the European Hotel, a lot of bar furniture, whisky, wines, etc., and also hotel and office furniture.

J. W. Rust, L. L. D., President of Bethel Female College, Hopkinsville, was in town Saturday. This is a boarding school exclusively for the education of young ladies. Prof. Rust is one of the oldest and most successful teachers in Kentucky, and his school is extensively patronized.—Caseyville Enterprise.

Mr. W. W. Radford has sold his confectionery store to Messrs. R. H. Holland and A. D. Rodgers. The invoice of goods was completed yesterday and these popular young gentlemen begin business to-day under the firm name of Holland & Rodgers. They are gentlemen of universal popularity and will command a large trade. Mr. Radford will retain a position with them until January 1st.

In the little town of Cadiz there is already a perfect scramble for the postoffice, now held by Mr. H. M. Garton, a Republican. Petitions are being circulated and the relative claims of some half a score of prospective applicants are being cussed and discussed. As the office pays less than \$1,000, it is hard to understand why there is such a premature rush for the spoils.

Eggs are reported very scarce. This reminds us that it is about the time for the "egg racket" to be worked by sharp speculators. About this time every fall the eggs are bought up by dealers at cheap prices, kept until Christmas and put upon the market at an advance of one hundred per cent., while in the intervening interval "eggs are scarcer than ever known before." This is entirely legitimate, but the public has a right to know what makes the hens stop laying about a month before the holidays, and we think we have given a practical if not a scientific explanation of the mystery.

On Tuesday evening while Mr. C. W. Rea was at work putting the cornice on the windows of the Withers building he slipped and fell from the top of the wall to the floor of the second story, on the inside. He was picked up bleeding profusely about the head and ears and taken into his tin-shop near by and Dr. Gish & Young called to attend him. His wounds were dressed and found to be no so bad as was feared at first. There were no fractured limbs, but only some severe bruises on the head and a sprained wrist. Mr. Rea was able to walk to a carriage in a short while and was taken home. At this writing he is getting along towards recovery as rapidly as could be expected.

Prof. Proctor has instructed Mr. Clarence Anderson to take a number of photographic views of property owned by colored people in this city and county, the pictures to be sent to the New Orleans Exposition. They are intended to represent the property interests of the colored people of the county and show the advancement they have made. Mr. Anderson has taken or will take the following views:

Postell Block, this city, owned by Peter Postell. Residence on Clay street owned by the same. Colored Methodist church on Liberty street. Colored Public School building on Jackson street. House and farm of John Moore, on Canton pike, near the city.

Already the question, "who will be Hopkinsville's next post-master?" is beginning to excite many who are desirous of getting a hold upon the government tent. Mr. Jno. B. Gowen, the present incumbent, was appointed for a four years' term, which will expire July 1886. His assistant, Mr. W. F. Randle, is a Democrat and as the office is at present conducted in a satisfactory manner, it is not at all likely that Mr. Gowen will be removed during the sixteen months that his term will extend into the Democratic administration. When a change is made, Mr. Randle will have many backers and the person who beats him will be the post-master. It is said that there are already half a dozen candidates, several of them ladies. The position pays \$1,800 and is among the best in the state.

POLITICAL POINTS.

Kansas, the home of the "brainless and mercenary sneak," St. John, gave him only 2,344 votes, while Blaine and Logan received a plurality of over 50,000.—Evansville Journal.

Mr. Blaine will now have the long desired opportunity to vindicate the honor of his family with his life. That suit against the Indianapolis Sentinel is set for December 23.—Lou. Times.

Originally "R. R. R." was an abbreviation for "Readin', Rittin' and 'Rithmetic," then, "Rum, Romanism and Rebellion." The first had reference to "education," the second to a pain eradicator, the last is what laid out the Republican party.—Mad. Times.

Yes, Jim Blaine is the Henry Clay of his day, as the Commercial Gazette tells us. Clay was three or four times a candidate for President, but he never got there. Had he carried New York in 1844 he would have been President, but the State went for Polk by a plurality of 5,106. Blaine got a little closer to the Presidency than that, but a miss is good as a mile. Label Blaine "Henry Clay No. 2," and file him away for history.—Lou. Times.

A funny story goes along the street about the sudden and unexpected introduction to Mr. Burchard of a certain very sore Republican politician. The latter, as he heard the name, was taken back and exclaimed: "Are you the Rev. Mr. Burchard who talked about 'Rum, Romanism and Rebellion'?"

"I am," said Dr. Burchard uneasily.

"Well," said the other after a brief pause, slowly and with deep feeling, "you played it—didn't you?"—Cincinnati Gazette.

If it be true—and the returns so far as received point in that direction—that the Democrats of Illinois have elected a majority in the legislature, we advise Gen. Jno. A. Logan and his enthusiastic admirers to take up their residence on the headwaters of Salt River. It is a beautiful country; the climate is mild and the fishing could not be better. We know what we are talking about, for we have been an inhabitant of that region for the last nineteen years. Our very recent removal is due to the election of Cleveland and Hendricks.—Courier-Journal.

Resolutions.

At a regular meeting of Church Hill Grange, No. 109, P. of H., the following resolutions were passed:

Died, at her residence in Christian county, Ky., Oct. 9th, 1884, Mrs. Pike Stephens, former relief of Jas. Coleman, deceased, and mother of our esteemed fellow-citizen, Jas. T. Coleman, Esq.

The deceased was, from early childhood, a member of the Methodist Episcopal Church, was also a member of Church Hill Grange, and endeared all the relations of life as wife, mother and friend. Truly, a good woman has passed away.

Resolved, That this Grange deeply deplore the loss of sister Stephens, and tender our sympathy to her loved ones.

Resolved, That this notice be spread upon the minutes of this Grange, and that the Hopkinsville papers be requested to publish the same.

MRS. MOLLIE PIERCE,  
J. R. CAUDLE,  
R. H. MCGAUGHEY.

The danger of incidental harm to the community, or to certain classes of people from the increased use of machinery, the extension of public works, etc., is greatly diminished when those who make the laws, and especially those whose duty it is to interpret them, recognize that law is progressive science; that it is a means and not an end; that when a state of things arises for which there is no precedent, a new precedent must be made. How the most enlightened jurists hold this principle constantly in view, and how the common as well as the statute law is thus made to keep pace with the general advance of civilization, is admirably set forth in the leading article in the North American Review for December, "Labor and Capital before the Law," by Judge T. M. Cooley, of Michigan. To the same number, William K. Ackerman contributes some suggestive "Notes on railway management." Dr. Schliemann tells what he found in his excavations of the ruins of Tyrys, in Southern Greece, and Principal Sharp supplements his scholarly article on "Friendship in English Poetry." The other articles in the number are, "The British House of Lords," by George Ticknor Curtis, and "Responsibility for State Roguery," by John F. Hume.

The following, from the Evansville Journal, is enough to make a horse laugh:

"No candidates for any party ever made a more magnificent canvass, nor conducted themselves more creditably, than Blaine and Logan. It was not their fault that they were beaten, but through a combination of unforeseen and unavoidable circumstances. The Republican party will have further use for James G. Blaine and John A. Logan. They are merely resting on their laurels."

The State Board of Canvass began canvassing the New York returns in Albany, Wednesday. Errors were found in the footings in several counties and the board adjourned over one day to have them corrected by telegram. No errors were found that could alter the result.

SPECIAL LOCALS.

To The Tax-Payers of Christian County.

My term as Sheriff of Christian County ends with this year. I must and will close out my business. Many of you are owing me taxes. These must be paid right away. This means everybody. Do not say, "it does not mean me, I am good for my taxes." No man is as good as his money. I have employed a number of deputies, and on the 1st Monday in November, I shall start them out with orders to levy and sell and wind up this unholy business. I shall advertise all land and town lots for sale on the 1st Monday in December. Come in and pay and save costs. I mean what I say. I must wind out. I have neither home nor money, and cannot lay around this town for long years waiting to collect little amounts of tax. I give you fair warning. From rich and poor I must have this money.

CYRUS M. BROWN, S. C. C.  
Oct 21st

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We announce the first clearance sale of Cloaks. Our stock is badly broken by our immense sales this month, in this as well as in other departments of our business. We therefore intend to close out the remainder of our Cloaks at unheard of low prices, in order that we may buy an entire new stock. Now is your chance to buy Cloaks at 20 per cent. reduction from former prices.

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We have just received a new stock of ladies' Cloths, Tricots plain and embossed, Velvets in all shades. We are also receiving every few days New Cloaks, both Newmarkets and Russian Circulars. We expect to keep our stock full of new and choice goods and we guarantee prices to be bottom.

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J. D. Russell.

SEPT. 12, 1884.

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